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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages (11)]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
Descriptive title of the invention
Cross reference to related applications
Statement regarding Fed sponsored R & D
Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a
Computer program listing appendix
Background of the Invention
Brief Summary of the invention
Brief Description of the Drawings
Detailed description
Claim(s)
Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets (3)]
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages (4)]
 - a. ☒ Newly executed (original copy)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63)
- (d)
 - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
Named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or
Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identify of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement ☒ Copies of IDS
(IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 USC 122
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17. ☐ Other:

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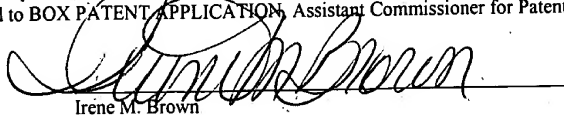
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